GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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Teachers under SSA
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Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the posts of teachers sanctioned by the Union Government under the Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) have not been filled up by some States;
(b) if so, the details thereof, State/ UT-wise;
(c) whether the Union Government has taken steps for filling up of teachers posts in these States; and
(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI UPENDRA KUSHWAHA)

(a) to (d): The recruitment and service conditions are primarily in the domain of State Governments/UT Administrations. The Central Government through the flagship programme of Sarva Shiksha Abhiyan (SSA) provides financial assistance to States and UTs for additional teachers to maintain appropriate Pupil Teacher Ratio as per the prescribed norms for norms of Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education (RTE), Act 2009. The Central Government has been consistently pursuing the matter of expeditious recruitment and redeployment of teachers with the States and UTs at various fora. Advisories on this issue have also been issued to States and UTs from time to time. The detail of the vacant posts of teachers under SSA in Elementary schools is at Annexure.
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